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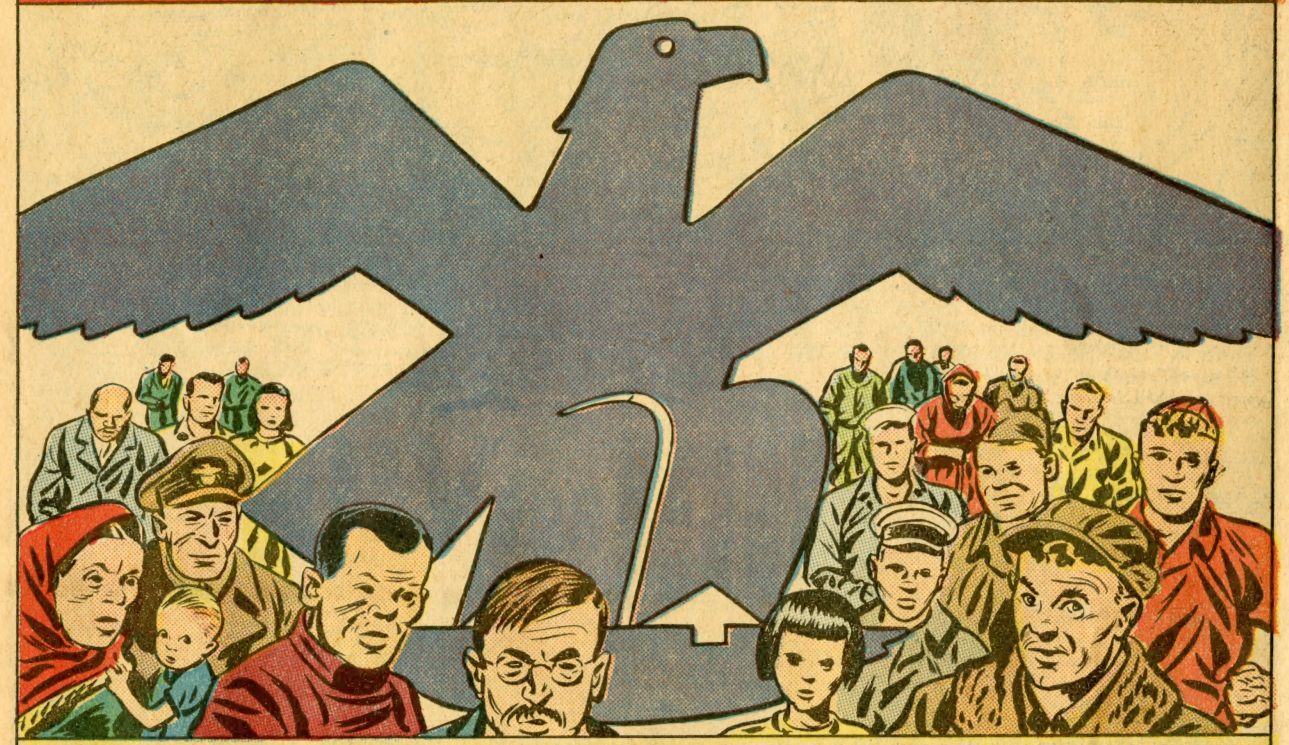

THE SPREAD WINGS OF THE **NATIONAL WAR FUND** EAGLE SYMBOLIZE THE COMFORTING ARMS OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE EXTENDED IN AID TO "OUR OWN AND OUR ALLIES" THROUGH TWENTY-TWO WAR-RELATED SERVICES. HERE'S RADIO COMMENTATOR LOWELL THOMAS TO TELL YOU THIS DRAMATIC STORY.

THE STORY STARTS IN THE GENEROUS HEARTS OF AMERICANS, AND DEVELOPS INTO A TRUE TALE OF MERCY FOR MILLIONS ON SIX CONTINENTS! IN THE UNITED STATES...
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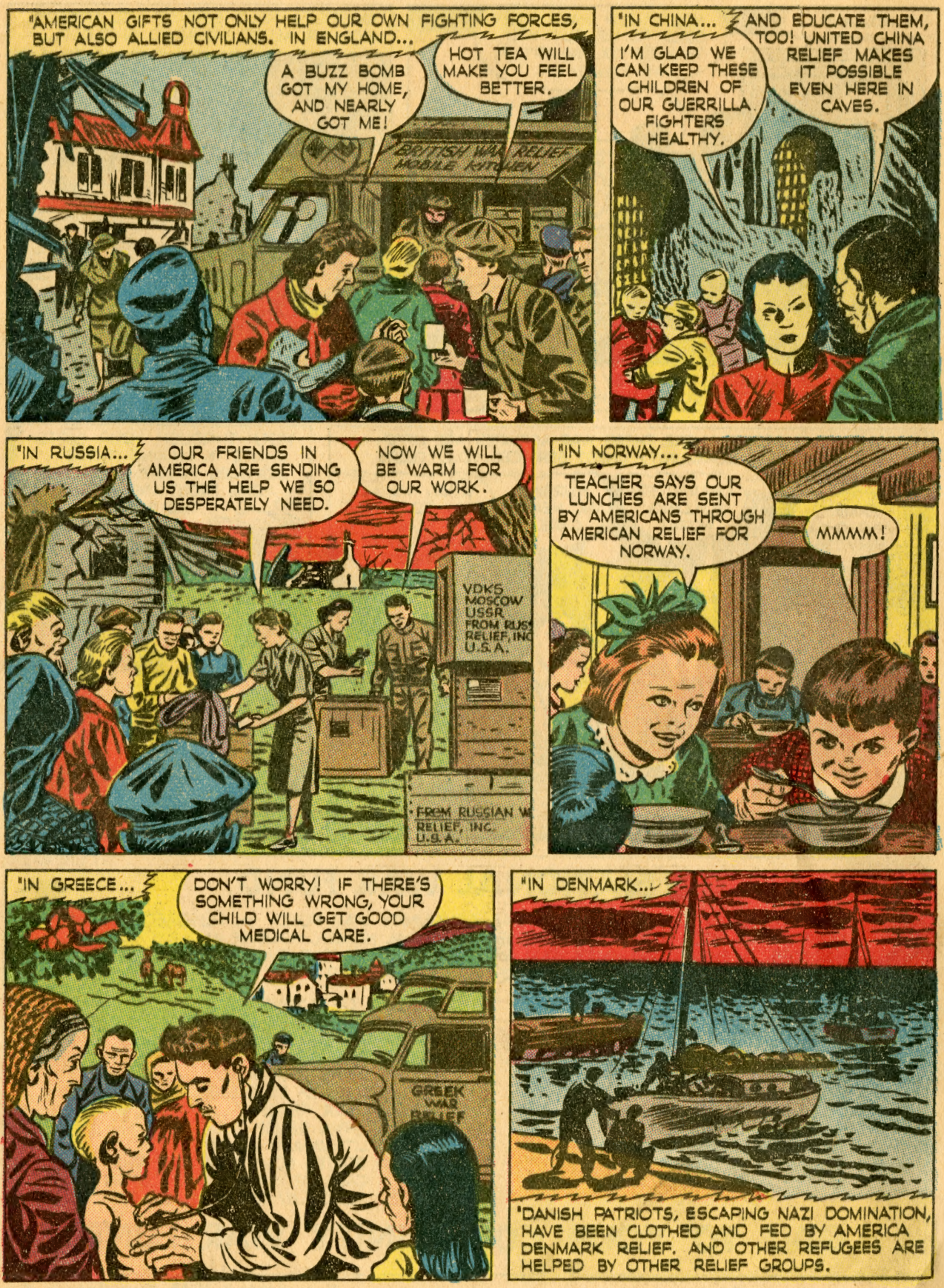
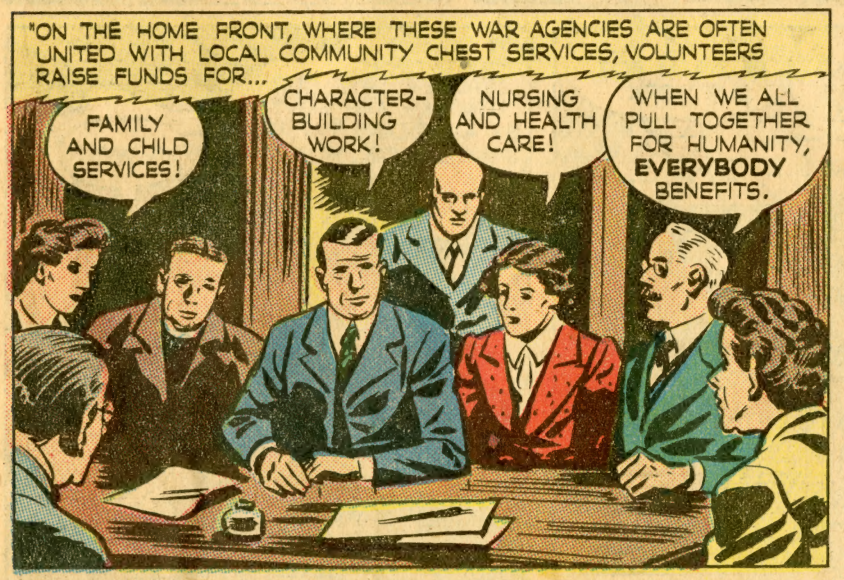
THIS IS NOT A TRUE STORY IN THE SENSE THAT THE EVENTS DEPICTED HERE ACTUALLY TOOK PLACE, BUT IT IS A DESCRIPTIVE PICTURE OF THE VITAL SERVICES PERFORMED BY **NATIONAL WAR FUND** AGENCIES ON EVERY FRONT IN THE WORLD.

IN EVERY THEATER OF WAR, FIGHTING MEN NEED RELAXATION.
USO-CAMP SHOWS
FELLOWS, AM I KEEPING YOU FROM ANYTHING?
YEAH, SUFFERING!
"MERCHANT SEAMEN NEED RECREATION, TOO. THE UNITED SEAMEN'S SERVICE MAINTAINS MORE THAN ONE HUNDRED CLUBS IN FOREIGN PORTS. THERE WAS EVEN A TEMPORARY RECREATION CENTER ON A BEACHED LIBERTY SHIP AT LEYTE.
"BACK IN AMERICA, THESE HEROIC MEN CAN REST AND RECUPERATE IN UNITED SEAMEN'S SERVICE CONVALESCENT HOMES.
I'VE GAINED BACK THE FORTY POUNDS I LOST ON THAT LAST CONVOY RUN! NOW I CAN GO TO SEA AGAIN AND HELP GET THE GOODS ACROSS.
USS
"TO IMPRISONED AMERICAN FIGHTING MEN, ANY BREAK IN MONOTONY IS A GODSEND.
NEVER THOUGHT I'D BE AN ACTOR! BUT THESE WIGS, COSTUMES AND PLAY SCRIPTS ARE LIFESAVERS!
YOU SAID IT! WE'D GO NUTS FROM BOREDOM IF WAR PRISONERS AID DIDN'T SEND RECREATION MATERIALS, TEXTBOOKS AND MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.


"AMERICAN GIFTS NOT ONLY HELP OUR OWN FIGHTING FORCES, BUT ALSO ALLIED CIVILIANS. IN ENGLAND...
A BUZZ BOMB GOT MY HOME, AND NEARLY GOT ME!
HOT TEA WILL MAKE YOU FEEL BETTER.
BRITISH WAR RELIEF MOBILE KITCHEN
"IN CHINA...
I'M GLAD WE CAN KEEP THESE CHILDREN OF OUR GUERRILLA FIGHTERS HEALTHY.
AND EDUCATE THEM, TOO! UNITED CHINA RELIEF MAKES IT POSSIBLE EVEN HERE IN CAVES.
"IN RUSSIA...
OUR FRIENDS IN AMERICA ARE SENDING US THE HELP WE SO DESPERATELY NEED.
NOW WE WILL BE WARM FOR OUR WORK.
VDKS MOSCOW USSR FROM RUSS RELIEF, INC U.S.A.
FROM RUSSIAN W RELIEF, INC. U.S.A.
"IN NORWAY...
TEACHER SAYS OUR LUNCHES ARE SENT BY AMERICANS THROUGH AMERICAN RELIEF FOR NORWAY.
MMMM!
"IN GREECE...
DON'T WORRY! IF THERE'S SOMETHING WRONG, YOUR CHILD WILL GET GOOD MEDICAL CARE.
GREEK WAR RELIEF
"IN DENMARK...
"DANISH PATRIOTS, ESCAPING NAZI DOMINATION, HAVE BEEN CLOTHED AND FED BY AMERICA DENMARK RELIEF. AND OTHER REFUGEES ARE HELPED BY OTHER RELIEF GROUPS.

"IN HOLLAND...
YOU DUTCH HAVE BEEN COLD TO US, BUT YOU WILL BE COLDER AFTER WE MARCH ON.
"THOUSANDS OF BLANKETS, LOOTED BY THE FLEEING GERMANS, WERE REPLACED BY THE QUEEN WILHELMINA FUND.


"ON THE HOME FRONT, WHERE THESE WAR AGENCIES ARE OFTEN UNITED WITH LOCAL COMMUNITY CHEST SERVICES, VOLUNTEERS RAISE FUNDS FOR...
FAMILY AND CHILD SERVICES!
CHARACTER-BUILDING WORK!
NURSING AND HEALTH CARE!
WHEN WE ALL PULL TOGETHER FOR HUMANITY, EVERYBODY BENEFITS.

THE NATIONAL WAR FUND

YOU ARE ASKED TO GIVE TO YOUR 1945 COMMUNITY WAR FUND. IN HUNDREDS OF COMMUNITIES, YOUR GIFT WILL STRENGTHEN ESSENTIAL HEALTH, WELFARE AND RECREATION SERVICES. IN EVERY COMMUNITY, YOUR GIFT WILL BACK UP "OUR OWN AND OUR ALLIES" BY SUPPORTING ALL THESE AGENCIES OF THE NATIONAL WAR FUND:

USO (UNITED SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS)
UNITED SEAMEN'S SERVICE
WAR PRISONERS AID
AMERICAN RELIEF FOR CZECHOSLOVAKIA
AMERICA DENMARK RELIEF
AMERICAN FIELD SERVICE
AMERICAN RELIEF FOR FRANCE
AMERICAN RELIEF FOR ITALY
AMERICAN RELIEF FOR NORWAY
BELGIAN WAR RELIEF SOCIETY
BRITISH WAR RELIEF SOCIETY
FRIENDS OF LUXEMBOURG
GREEK WAR RELIEF ASSOCIATION
PHILIPPINE WAR RELIEF (OF THE U.S.)
POLISH WAR RELIEF
QUEEN WILHELMINA FUND
REFUGEE RELIEF TRUSTEES
RUSSIAN WAR RELIEF
UNITED CHINA RELIEF
UNITED LITHUANIAN RELIEF
UNITED STATES COMMITTEE FOR THE CARE OF EUROPEAN CHILDREN
UNITED YUGOSLAV RELIEF FUND

GIVE TO YOUR COMMUNITY WAR FUND

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